andary 13, 1978 Hearing)

Approval - Resolution Designating Section of US 421 as the J. M. HUNT, JR. EXPRESSWAY

Chairman Bradshaw recognized and extended a cordial welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marvin Hunt, Jr.

Pursuant to a motion by Board Member Harper, which was seconded by Board Member Hoyle, and unanimously carried, Chairman Bradshaw presented Mr. Hunt the following resolution in appreciation of his numerous contributions to the State of North Carolina.

"WHEREAS, Mr. Joseph Marvin Hunt, Jr. faithfully served five terms in the North Carolina House of Representatives and was Speaker of the House in the 1961 Session of the General Assembly; and

"WHEREAS, Mr. Joseph Marvin Hunt, Jr. ably served as Chairman of the North Carolina State Highway Commission from 1965 to 1969; and

"WHEREAS, Mr.Joseph Marvin Hunt, Jr. in 1965 successfully promoted the passage of a 300 Million Dollar Highway Bond Issue; and

"WHEREAS, Through the foresight and leadership of Mr. Joseph Marvin Hunt, Jr., North Carolina has continued to develop and maintain the Nation's largest State-owned highway system; and

"WHEREAS, Mr. Joseph Marvin Hunt, Jr. has distinguished himself truly as a North Carolina Statesman; and

"WHEREAS, Highway US 421 between Greensboro and Staley is an outstanding example of highway improvements made under Mr. Hunt's leadership of the State Highway Commission:

"NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, That US 421 between Greensboro and Staley is hereby designated as the J. M. HUNT, JR. EXPRESSWAY in recognition of Mr. Hunt's many contributions to the State of North Carolina and its people."

## New Business

- Chairman Bradshaw presented Mr. Hunt, and Members of the Board of Transportation "Roads Scholar" Certificates in appreciation of their efforts in the successful passage of the 1977 Highway Bond Issue.
- 2. Mr. M. C. Adams, Head of the Maintenance Unit, gave a brief report on condition of roads in the western part of the State.

## Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Board, meeting was adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

Secretary

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of February 1978.

Notary Public

My Commission expires 10-14-80